S. No.	*Name of District*	*Villages electrified as on 31.3.1991*
30.	Siwan	999
31.	Darbhanga	1037
32.	Madhubani	1042*
33.	Samastipur	1163*
34.	Bemusarai	835*
35.	Saharsa	804*
36.	Madhepura	377*
37.	Purnea	1439
38.	Kaithar	732
39.	Khagaria	285*
		87**
	Total:	46263

* Includes certain uninhabited villages.

** Villages electrified under State Plan, the district-wise break up not available.

Telephone and post office facilities in the country

3935. SHRI YASHWANTRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of such villages in the country without telephone and post office facilities;

(b) the number of villages to which facilities of post office and telephone are likely to be provided during the Eighth Five

(c) the names of villages in district Ahmadnagar which are likely to be provided with the telephone and post office facilities during 1991-92?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) As on 30.11.91 the number of villages without telephone is 5.18 lakhs and without post office is 4.7 lakhs approximately.

(b) 8th plan (1992-97) proposals are yet to be finalised in respect of post offices. 3.6 lakhs villages are proposed to be provided with telephone facility during 8th plan.

(c) (i) The names of the villages where telephone facility is proposed to be opened are indicated below:

Rural Areas	*Tribunal Areas*
1. Nimbenandur	1. Kanbharne
2. Golegaon	2. Warshinde
3. Nilwane	
4. Waghapur	

(ii) The names of the villages where telephone facility is proposed to be provided are shown in the enclosd statement.

STATEMENT

Names of villages in Ahmednagar District Planned for provision on Telephone Facility During 1991-92.

(A) Long Distance Public Telephones

Mhaskewadi

Randhe

Raitale

Waghunde

Malwane

Diksal

Hiwrekhande

Chincholi

Pimprijalgaon

Vadgaonambi

Baradgaonsudrik

Chandekasara

Jeurkumbhari

Jehrpatoda

Takli

Yesgaon

Sakuri

Velapur

Mahegaondeshmukh

Dharangaon

Kumbhari

Padregaon

Karanji

(B) Telephone Exchanges

Bhandardhara

Palshi

Durgaon

Halgaon

Hatnapur

Yesgaon

Baradari

Chapadgaon

Shendi

Kudgaon

(c) Telephone Exchanges Already Opened

Astagaon

Lingdeo

Kombhali

Jawale

Pamdhere

Paragaonsudrik

[*English*]

Post Offices in Madhya Pradesh

3936. SHRI PARASRAM BHARDWAJ: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of post offices functioning at present in Madhya Pradesh, particularly in remote tribal areas;

(b) whether the Government propose to open some more post offices in tribal areas; if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government propose to open STD facilities on district level; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P.V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) The number of post offices functioning at present in Madhya Pradesh as well as in tribal areas of the state are given as hereunder:-

Total No. of Post Offices in Madhya Pradesh:-

Head Post Offices-52

Departmental Sub Post Offices:-

Urban-868

Rural-459

Extra departmental sub post offices:-

Urban-38

Rural-60

Extra departmental branch post offices:-

Urban-102

Rural-9330

Total No. of Post offices in Tribal Areas of Madhya Pradesh:-

Head Post Offices-5

Departmental Sub post Offices-141

Extra departmental sub post offices-10

Extra departmental branch post offices-2588.

(b) 40 Extra departmental branch post offices and 2 departmental sub post offices are proposed to be sanctioned in the tribal areas during the year 1991-92, subject to justification. The details in this regard are as follows :-

Tribal areas of Raipur region:-

Extra departmental branch post offices-25